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Employment:

- April 1, 2000 to the present:
 - Solo practitioner practice is exclusively workers' compensation plaintiff representation and workers' compensation mediation.
- June 1, 1995 through March 31, 2000
 - Partner- Ganly, Ramer, Finger, Strom & Fuleihan practice was exclusively workers' compensation involving plaintiff representation.
- January 1, 1993 through May 31, 1995
 - Deputy Commissioner-North Carolina Industrial Commission adjudication of workers' compensation claims and tort claims against the State
- December 1, 1991 through December 31, 1992
 - General Counsel-North Carolina Department of Transportation counselor and adviser to Secretary of Department, coordinate department legal matters with North Carolina Attorney General's office.
- November 1, 1989 through November 30, 1991
 - Legal Counsel to the Honorable James G. Martin, Governor of the State of North Carolina managed Governor's legal office, executive clemency, extradition, judicial appointments, advise Governor on constitutional and statutory authority regarding executive branch of Government and relationship with legislative and judicial branches.

Professional Licensure:

- North Carolina State Bar, March 21, 1987, #13886
- North Carolina State Bar Board Certified Legal Specialist in Workers' Compensation Law, November 17, 2000
- North Carolina Dispute Resolution Commission Certified Mediator July 1, 2006

Professional Affiliations:

- Member- North Carolina State Bar Board of Legal Specialization Workers'
 Compensation Committee, April 1, 2003 to April 1, 2009
- Member- North Carolina Bar Association, 1987 to present
- Member- North Carolina Advocates for Justice (formerly Academy of Trial Lawyers), June 1995 to present; Member- Executive Committee, Workers' Rights Section, June 1996 to June 1998 (2 year term), Member Emeritus- Executive Committee, February 2008 to present; Member- Political Action Committee, June 2002 to June 2004 (2 year term)
- Fellow- North Carolina Institute of Politics, Spring 1989

Educational Background:

- Mercer University, Walter F. George School of Law 1986
- University of North Carolina at Asheville Bachelor of Arts 1981

Continuing Legal Education Seminar Presentation Manuscripts/ Professional Publications:

- North Carolina Academy of Trial Lawyers Workplace Torts and Workers' Compensation Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 <u>Significant Workers' Compensation Appellate Decisions</u> (1996-2008)
- North Carolina Academy of Trial Lawyers Roundtable, <u>Presumptions and Burdens of</u> <u>Proof</u> (1998)
- North Carolina Academy of Trial Lawyers Roundtable <u>Disability Burden of Proof</u> (2005)
- North Carolina Bar Association Foundation <u>A Practical Guide to Handling Death</u> <u>Claims</u> (2002)
- North Carolina Bar Association Foundation <u>Recent Developments in Occupational</u> <u>Disease Claims</u> (2005)
- North Carolina Bar Association Foundation The Third Biennial Workers' Compensation For Mediators: Training For The Industrial Commission Neutral (2008)
- Wake Forest University School of Law <u>Coverages Defenses and Disqualifications</u> (1996)
- Lorman Education Series Workers' Compensation Update In North Carolina (2008)